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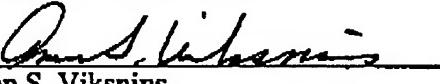
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Responsive to the action mailed August 9, 2004, Applicants elect the invention of Group 1 (claims 1-14 and 18-26), drawn to pseudotyped retroviral virions comprising a LCMV strain WE-54 envelope glycoprotein, a packaging cell line comprising a sequence encoding LCMV WE-54 glycoprotein, a kit comprising said vector and a method for producing said virions. The election is made without traverse.

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